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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR

Docket Number (Optional)

140-032

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 5,696,375, granted December 9, 1997, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled MULTIDEFLECTOR

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on _____ as reissue application number ____ / _____
and was amended on _____
(If applicable)

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid, for the reasons described below. (Check all boxes that apply.)

☐ by reason of a defective specification or drawing.

☒ by reason of the patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent

☐ by reason of other errors.

At least one error upon which reissue is based is described as follows:

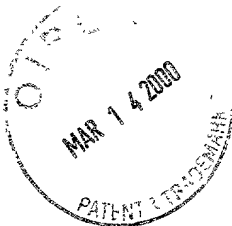
Subject matter described in the specification as originally filed was mistakenly omitted from the claims.

Applicant failed to claim the core of the invention, which was described in the original specification. One of ordinary skill in the art will readily find the intent to to claim the core in the original specification.

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| (REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR, page 2) | | Docket Number (Optional) 140-032 | |
| All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant. As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. | | | |
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| I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed. | | | |
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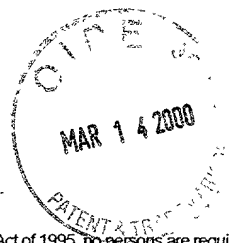
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| REISSUE APPLICATION BY THE INVENTOR, OFFER TO SURRENDER PATENT | | Docket Number (Optional) 140-032 |
| <p>This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.</p> | | |
| Name of Patentee(s) Melvin Park; Claus Koster | | |
| Patent Number 5,696,375 | Date Patent Issued December 9, 1997 | |
| Title of Invention MULTIDEFLECTOR | | |
| <p>I am the inventor of the original patent.</p> <p>I offer to surrender the original patent.</p> <p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filed herein is a certificate under 37 CFR 3.73(b).</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Ownership of the patent is in the inventor(s), and no assignment of the patent has been made.</p> <p>One of boxes 1 or 2 above must be checked.</p> <p>The written consent of all assignees owning an undivided interest in the original patent is included in this application for reissue.</p> | | |
| Signature <i>Melvin G. Park</i> | Date <i>1/12/00</i> | |
| Typed or printed name Melvin Park | | |
| The assignee owning an undivided interest in said original patent is Bruker Daltonics, Inc. and the assignee consents to the accompanying application for reissue. | | |
| I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issued thereon, or any patent to which this declaration is directed. | | |
| Name of assignee Bruker Daltonics, Inc. (Formerly Bruker Anyl. Instrument) | | |
| Signature of person signing for assignee <i>Frank Laukien</i> | Date Jan. 11, 2000 | |
| Typed or printed name and title of person signing for assignee Frank Laukien; President | | |

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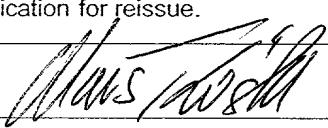
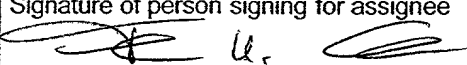
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